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(37 CFR 1.63)**

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Attorney Docket Number	<b>P150299</b>
First Named Inventor	<b>SMITH, Graham Thomas</b>
<b>COMPLETE IF KNOWN</b>	
Application Number	<b>09/423,414</b>
Filing Date	<b>November 8, 1999</b>
Group Art Unit	
Examiner Name	

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address, and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

**TELECONFERENCING ROBOT WITH SWIVELING VIDEO MONITOR**

the specification of which

*(Title of the Invention)*

is attached hereto

OR

was filed on (MM/DD/YYYY) **05/06/1998** as United States Application Number or PCT International

Application Number **PCT/CA98/00463** and was amended on (MM/DD/YYYY) **05/14/1999** (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment specifically referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under 35 U.S.C. 119(a)-(d) or 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or 365(a) of any PCT international application which designated at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below, by checking the box, any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or of any PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

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I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below.

Application Number(s)	Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	
<b>60/045,793</b>	<b>05/07/1997</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Additional provisional application numbers are listed on a supplemental priority data sheet PTO/SB/02B attached hereto.

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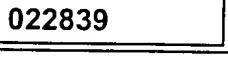
## DECLARATION — Utility or Design Patent Application

I hereby claim the benefit under 35 U.S.C. 120 of any United States application(s), or 365(c) of any PCT international application designating the United States of America, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

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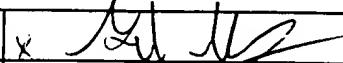
Additional U.S. or PCT international application numbers are listed on a supplemental priority data sheet PTO/SB/02B attached hereto.  
As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following registered practitioner(s) to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:  Customer Number **022839** →   
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Name of Additional Joint Inventor, if any:				<input type="checkbox"/> A petition has been filed for this unsigned inventor			
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(37 CFR 1.9(f) & 1.27(c))--SMALL BUSINESS CONCERNDocket Number (Optional)  
P150299

Applicant, Patentee, or Identifier: SMITH, Graham Thomas  
 Application or Patent No.: 35 USC 371 of PCT Application No. PCT/CA98/00463  
 Filed or Issued: 05/06/98 (6 May 1998) (now ISSN 09/423, 414)  
 Title: Teleconferencing Robot With Swiveling Video Monitor

I hereby state that I am

the owner of the small business concern identified below;  
 an official of the small business concern empowered to act on behalf of the concern identified below.

NAME OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN Telbotics Inc.ADDRESS OF SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN 46 Sherbourne Street  
Toronto, Ontario, CANADA, M5A 2P7

I hereby state that the above identified small business concern qualifies as a small business concern as defined in 13 CFR Part 121 for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office. Questions related to size standards for a small business concern may be directed to: Small Business Administration, Size Standards Staff, 409 Third Street, SW, Washington, DC 20416.

I hereby state that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the small business concern identified above with regard to the invention described in:

the specification filed herewith with title as listed above.  
 the application identified above.  
 the patent identified above.

If the rights held by the above identified small business concern are not exclusive, each individual, concern, or organization having rights in the invention must file separate statements as to their status as small entities, and no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d), or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).

Each person, concern, or organization having any rights in the invention is listed below:  
 no such person, concern, or organization exists.  
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 Separate statements are required from each named person, concern or organization having rights to the invention stating their status as small entities. (37 CFR 1.27)

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<b>STATEMENT CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS (37 CFR 1.9(f) &amp; 1.27(d))–NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION</b>		Docket Number (Optional) <b>P150299</b>
<p>Applicant, Patentee, or identifier: <b>SMITH, Graham Thomas, FELS, Deborah Ingrid &amp; TREVIRANUS, Jutta</b>      Application or Patent No.: <b>A filing under 35 USC 371 from PCT Int'l Appl'n PCT/CA98/00463</b>      Filed or Issued: <b>05/06/98 (6 May 1998)</b> (now USNN 09/423,414)      Title: <b>"Teleconferencing Robot With Swiveling Video Monitor"</b></p>		
<p>I hereby state that I am an official empowered to act on behalf of the nonprofit organization identified below:</p> <p>NAME OF NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION <b>THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO</b>      ADDRESS OF NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION <b>27 King's College Circle</b>  <b>Toronto, Ontario, Canada, M5S 1A1</b></p>		
<p>TYPE OF NONPROFIT ORGANIZATION:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNIVERSITY OR OTHER INSTITUTION OF HIGHER EDUCATION</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> TAX EXEMPT UNDER INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE CODE (26 U.S.C. 501(a) and 501(c)(3))</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> NONPROFIT SCIENTIFIC OR EDUCATIONAL UNDER STATUTE OF STATE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA      (NAME OF STATE _____)      (CITATION OF STATUTE _____)</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> WOULD QUALIFY AS TAX EXEMPT UNDER INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE CODE (26 U.S.C. 501(a) and 501(c)(3))      IF LOCATED IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> WOULD QUALIFY AS NONPROFIT SCIENTIFIC OR EDUCATIONAL UNDER STATUTE OF STATE OF THE UNITED      STATES OF AMERICA IF LOCATED IN THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA      (NAME OF STATE _____)      (CITATION OF STATUTE _____)</p>		
<p>I hereby state that the nonprofit organization identified above qualifies as a nonprofit organization as defined in 37 CFR 1.9(e) for purposes of paying reduced fees to the United States Patent and Trademark Office regarding the invention described in:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> the specification filed herewith with title as listed above.  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> the application identified above.  <input type="checkbox"/> the patent identified above.</p>		
<p>I hereby state that rights under contract or law have been conveyed to and remain with the nonprofit organization regarding the above identified invention. If the rights held by the nonprofit organization are not exclusive, each individual, concern, or organization having rights in the invention must file separate statements as to their status as small entities and that no rights to the invention are held by any person, other than the inventor, who would not qualify as an independent inventor under 37 CFR 1.9(c) if that person made the invention, or by any concern which would not qualify as a small business concern under 37 CFR 1.9(d) or a nonprofit organization under 37 CFR 1.9(e).</p>		
<p>Each person, concern, or organization having any rights in the invention is listed below:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> no such person, concern, or organization exists.  <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> each such person, concern, or organization is listed below.</p> <p><b>TELBOTICS INC., RYERSON POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY</b></p>		
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<p>NAME OF PERSON SIGNING <b>Peter Munsche</b></p>		
<p>TITLE IN ORGANIZATION OF PERSON SIGNING <b>Ass't Vice-President, Technology Transfer</b></p>		
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<p>SIGNATURE <b>Peter Munsche</b> DATE <b>November 5, 1999</b></p>		

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I hereby state that I am an official empowered to act on behalf of the nonprofit organization identified below:

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NAME OF PERSON SIGNING Michael OwenTITLE IN ORGANIZATION OF PERSON SIGNING Director, Research ServicesADDRESS OF PERSON SIGNING c/o Ryerson Polytechnic UniversitySIGNATURE X Michael Owen DATE November 2, 1999